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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Executive Staff

SUBJECT : "Where's What"

REFERENCE : Chief, Executive Staff Memorandum
Dated 2 February 1971, Same Subject

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1. After reviewing Section C "Central Intelligence Agency", pages 315 and 316 of "Where's What", a compendium of sources of information for federal investigators, and our file on "Where's What", it is again recommended that the entire section not be used by [REDACTED] for inclusion in his unclassified version of "Where's What" which is being updated and is near completion. Sponsorship is the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, (LEAA), Department of Justice.

2. The Agency's position has not changed on the matter which was set forth in Mr. Osborn's memorandum of 28 July 1970 to the Administrator - LEAA (attached).

3. When the entire subject was first studied in July the Legislative Counsel stressed the point that the DCI did not want the Agency associated with any endeavor even remotely connected with law enforcement. This has not changed. Further, as a practical matter, "Where's What" is a handbook which will now become available to all investigators. Since the Agency does not honor inquiries unless they come through established liaison channels the rationale for using CIA material in the book is pointless. Inclusion of the CIA section would only pique curiosity and result in time consuming responses to inquiries.

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